STONE & THOMAS.

SATURDAY.

A good day to buy wraps at a saving-prices that are not anything near what they formerly were.

\$4.98 and \$6.90

secures choice of Ladies' and Misses' Fine Silk Lined Kersey Jackets, black or colors, some trimmed, others plain; and

secures choice of the finest Ladies' Cloth Jackets in the house, a genuine clearance sale at real clearance

Best Quality Electric Seal Jackets.

Only a few of them remain, and they, too, are marked at clearance prices-

\$18.50, \$28.50 and \$35.

Close nap. high rolling collars, 22, 24 and 26-inch length, best of linings. See them and say whether you were ever offered such values before.

Children's Jackets.

Prices start at \$1.48 and range up to \$6.90. The assortment embraces Jackets of fine Kerseys, twotoned Boucles and elegant Meltons, some handsomely trimmed and silk lined. All sizes and colors, and all at only a mere trifle to what they formerly sold for.

Dress Skirts.

One special item for to-day. Made of very fine Cheviot, best linings, new box plaited back, applique down the front. The price—

\$4.98.

STONE & THOMAS.

Unmerciful -Slaughter!

OSITIVELY the most radical price cuts ever attempted by this or any store. Study these prices. Get in quick, as as as as

Jackets

\$1.95VALUE....

FRACTION

Finer Jackets neither here or elsewhere.

FRACTION

Finer Suits neither here or elsewhere.

No, You Can't

buy materials at these prices. About 200 Cheviot, Serge, Homespun, Crepon and Sicilian DRESS SKIRTS here to sell at

\$3.95 and \$5.90.

Materials are first-class-fits are guaranteed.

MEW SPRING GOODS EVERY DAY

Geo. M. Snook & Co. NAY BROTHERS-SHOES

NAY BROS. Put on Sale

TO-DAY, SATURDAY, All Men's

Winter Weight ...SHOES...

Box Caif, Enamel, Tan, Rus-sia Caif and Vici Kid,

20 PER CENT OFF price. This includes every winter shoe of this season's stock. Come early for choice.

1317 Market Street.

The Intelligencer

Office: 25 and 27 Fourteenth Street

New Advertisements. Atlas of Two Wars-Eighth page. Removal Sale Prices-McNameslates and Bon Bons-Alex. Durst

Second page. Nay Brothers-Eighth page. in, Elks! is a Heap of Satisfaction, Savings Bank-Fifth page.

Our Post Involce Sale-George E. Stifel

We have fitted more than twenty thousand pairs of Spectacles, giving us a record and experience unequalized by any other optician in West Virginia. Satisfaction guaranteed.

JACOB W. GRUBH, Optician, No. 1306 Market Street.

BRIEF MENTIONINGS.

Events in and About the City Given

nony Christian, in the sixty-eights r of her age. She had been an in-d for several years, and was a con-ent member of the Third Presbyter-

At Benwood yesterday Allie McDon-ald and Joe Osier, two young men of the steel town, were to have had a hearing before Squire Riddle on the harge of highway robbery, committed in Edward Schaffer, a Martin's Ferry classworker, in Benwood, last Satur-lay night, when Schaffer was relieved of a gold watch and some money. The efendants waived examination, and mey were committed to jall in default f \$5,000 bond each for their appearance before the next term of court in Marshall county.

IF business men and merchants consult their best interests they will advertise in the Intelligencer.

DEVORE IN JOLO

The Captain Writes to His Brother From the Philippines.

AN ISLAND FOR MORMONISM

At Least So Far as Plurality of Wives Goes-Diplomacy and a Sultan's Annuity Seem to Have Pacified the Sulu Portion of the Philippines - Interesting Observations on the Customs of the Natives.

Through the courtesy of Mr. J. Har-ey Devore, the Intelligencer is permitted to reproduce this morning a very in-screening letter he has just received from his brother, Capt. B. B. Devore, of he regular army, who is now serving the Philippines. The letter follows:

in the Philippines. The letter follows:

JOLO, Jolo Island, Philippines, Dec.

3, 1899.—This is the principal Island of
the Sulu archipelago group, and is the
residence of Mohammed Tamajamalu
Biran, sultan of the Sulus, who is ruler
of 140 islands, of 120,000 subjects and a
dozen wives. Under the Bates treaty,
the sultan, his wives, his people and the
\$7,000 slaves in his islands are now subsects of the United States. He is
smown by many titles other than sultan, such as "The Stainless One," "The
Spotless One," "The Mountain of Light,"
etc. His dress is simple, consisting of
one gurment, somewhat after the fashtien of a modern night-shirt. He is a
short, fat man, with round, boylsh face
and large eyes, presenting a very ordinary appearance. He lives in a small
touse, protected by a thick stone wail
ten feet high. The first floor contains
colly one rooms of the "palace" are
in the second story. He lives in a plain,
ample manner, without pretention, as
do all the Moros, who are of a very low
order of intelligence, and all they seem
to want is to be let alone; any innovations, though intended for their betterment, appear to annoy them.

The soil is rich, and would grow any
tropical fruit, but nothing is cultivated,
except in an indifferent, careless manner. A coffee plantation, just yielding
its first crop, is an exception, and the
planter is pleased with his success.

Several improvements have been inaugursted recently, and much is needed
to bring any sort of order and system
out of the present primitive condition of
things.

BRIEF MERTIONINGS.

Sevents in and About the Oilty Steves

in a Nutthaell.

Weather moderate to-days.

Weather to-days.

Weather moderate to-days.

Weather to-days.

Weather to-days.

Weather to-days.

Weather to-days.

Weather to-days.

Weather moderate to-days.

Weather to-days.

A Wonderful Medicine. PILLS

For Billoux and Nervous Disorders, such as Wind and Pain in the Stomach. Sick Headache, Giddiness, Fulness and Swelling after instals, Distributes and Drowsiness, Cold Chillis, Flushings of Heat, Loas of Appetitis, Shoriness Berain, Goalteness, Blotches on the Shin, Disturbed Steep, Frightful Dreams, and all Nervous and Trembling Sensations, etc. These silments all arise from a disordered or abused condition of the stomach and liver. the stomach and liver. Beecham's Pilla will quickly restore Females complete health. They promptly remove any struction or irregularity of the system. For a

Without the publication of testimonials. 10 cents and 25 cents, at all drug stores

The Greatest Battle in History

is momentarily expected to take place in the vicinity of Ladysmith between the Britons and Boers. The Daily Intelligencer

tells all about the country in which war is now raging. I contains special information and statistics directly bearing or the wars in South Africa and the Philippines that cannot be found in any other book. The Intelligencer Atlas of Two Wars can be had at the Intelligencer Office, 27 Fourteenth street, at 10 cents a copy, or by mail on receipt of 13 cents. Send United States coin. Address "Atlas Department,"

DAILY INTELLIGENCER,

27 Fourteenth St., . . . Wheeling, W. Va.

and bayonet. However, the pre-

and bayonet. However, the presence of arms and aminunition usually form an effective agument in arranging diplomatic surrenders. Gold, too, is a great peace-maker, and the sinuity which the United States gives to the sultan for his good will and friendly offices is a wise and economical expenditure, considered from a humanitarian standpoint.

These people are environed by ideas, habits and customs, bequeathed to them by the centuries, and, while force of arms may decimate their numbers, it cannot, per se, add to the permanent enlightenment of their race. Coercion with bomb or Bible, however well intended, only violates and inflames the half savage, superstitious, impulsive natures of the uncouth islanders. They think Christians are their mortal enemies, and that it is their religious duty to kill missionaries. Their ignorance is so dense they have not yet discovered that we are Christians, and by the time they find this out they may have a better opinion of the people who come under this name.

Nearly all the Moros are devout Mohammedans, and guard their religions during else, and nothing would probably disturb the peace and arouse them quicker than the presence of American missionaries.

Plural Marriages.

Their religion permits a man to have

People and Visitors.

Mr. James K. Hall returned last night from a trip to the lower part of the state in the interest of his candidacy for the Republican nomination for state audditor, and he appeared to be well pleased with the results. Mr. Hall was particularly impressed with the activity of the Republicans in the part of the state he visited, who are gradually cutting out the lines for the delegates to the state convention, but while the rivalry will be very warm it will find no traces of bitterness after the convention, and all will unite in rallying to the standard of the chosen candidates. Republican conventions of Cabell and Wood counties will be held on March 3, at Huntington and Parkersburg, respectively, to select delegates to the state convention, and the fight will be on the control of the delegates. Mr. Hall said that no activity was discernible in the ranks of the Democrats in the lower part of the state. Incidentally he mentioned the fight Parkersburg would make to secure the Republican state convention, and he said Wheeling would have to hustle to beat the Wood county town.

Jim Hanks, Sistersville, is a McLure

Jim Hanks, Sistersville, is a McLure C. E. Oliver, of Mingo Junction, is at

Mr. Howard Hazlett and wife left last evening for a short visit to New York.

last night.

J. T. Hervey, Robert Hervey and Foster Leap, of New Martinsville, were the Windsor yesterday.

Col. Morris Horkheimer, who has been spending some time in the east, mostly in Boston, has returned homemuch improved in health.

Last Tuesday James I. Hawley fell while walking over some timbers placed for a new floor in the basement of 1065.

while walking over some timbers placed for a new floor in the basement of 106 Main street. The left side of his force head struck a joist, making as ugly cut, exposing the hone. Dr. Frank Hum and Dr. Jepson dressed the wound and it is thought it will heal without compileation.

CURES croup, sore throat, pulmouar troubles-Monarch over pain of ever sort. Dr. Thomas' Eclectric Oil.-2.

Bears the The Kind You Have Always Bloght Elignature Chart Hillithers

A NEW WORKHOUSE

voir on Wheeling Hill Discussed by the Police Committee-Workhouse Guards' Wages.

An interesting meeting of the counc committee on police was held last even-ing, discussion on a new workhouse to be erected on the site of the old city re an appropriation for this purpose wil tee, although the scheme has yet to as-

shortly be asked of the finance committee, although the scheme has yet to assume more tangible shape.

It was pointed out that the old reservoir has with its basin a splendid cement floor for a new workhouse, and that it has sufficient stone for the building, so that all that is needed is the service of masons. A good substantial building could be erected there, possessing excellent sewerage and other needed facilities. No definite action was taken last night, but at the committee's next meeting the project will be gone into in more detail.

Superintendent Woods submitted reports from the city prison for the month of January and for the year 1899. The annual report showed that 533 prisoners had been confined in the workhouse, of whom nine had escaped and two had been re-captured. In answer to a question from Mayor Sweeney, Mr. Woods said that Frank Dumas had escaped through the workhouse roof, notwithstanding he was burdened with a ball and chain. Dumas is a suspected crook, who pulled a gun while resisting arrest by Officer Helmes. He is suspected to have had connection with the safe-cracking job at the Locke Shoe Co.'s store last Sunday morning.

Chief Clemans' monthly report was submitted to the committee. It is published elsewhere. Bills were ordered paid as follows: Prison fund, \$184 34; police department, \$204 41.

Just before adjournment, Gabriel Jackson and two other guards from the workhouse appeared before the committee to ask for an increase of their wages, which, Mr. Jackson, who acted as spokesman, said were the lowest of any other class of city employes. Their wages were \$40 a month, he said, and his plea was attentively listened to, for "Gabe" was in his best form, calling on he fount of eloquence which has made

committee present, so the wage ques-tion went over.

The disabled policeman's fund, ar idea which has originated with Mr. M A. Chew, chairman of the committee did not come up, as Mr. Chew was no

THE BEST

Coats at C. Hess & Sons'.

For comfort and durability there is nothing better. They are just the thing for Butchers, Brewers, Mechanics and Office Workers. Prices moderate.

C. HESS & SONS. Fashionable Tailors and Furnishers 1321 and 1323 Market St.



PROF. H. SHEEF,

Cor. Main and Eleventh Sts. FINANCIAL.

BANK OF THE OHIO VALLEY. CAPITAL-8175,000.

WILLIAM A. ISETT. Presiden
MONTIMER POLLOCK. Vice Presiden
J. A. MILLER. Cashie
J. H. McDONALD. Ars't. Cashie

DIRECTORS.

William A. Isett, Mortimer Pollock,
J. A. Miller, Robert Simpson,
E. M. Atkinson, C. M. Frissell,
Julius Pollock. JOS SEYBOLD President
J A. JEFFERSON Cashier
CHAS. LAMB Assistant Cashier

BANK OF WHEELING.

CAPITAL, \$200,000, PAID IN. WHEELING, W. VA. DIRECTORS.

Allen Brock, Joseph F. Paull, Chas. Schmidt. Henry Bieberson, Joseph Seybold, A. J. Clarke. Interest paid on special deposits.
Issues drafts on England, Ireland
Scotland. J. A. JEFFERSON
myll Cashi

THE HUB CLOTHIERS.

The Bargain Pot Is Still Boiling.....

Plenty of fuel on hand to keep it hot. Our great discount sale will continue all this week.

Hundreds of Suits that were \$20, \$15, \$12, \$10, now go at \$15, \$11.25, \$9.00 and \$7.50.

Hundreds of Men's Overcoats that were \$20, \$18, \$15. \$12, \$10, \$6.00, now go at \$15, \$13.50, \$11.25 \$9.00, \$7.50 and \$6.00.

Hundreds of Boys' Reefers and Top Coats that were \$10.00, \$8.00, \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.00, \$5.00, \$2.50, now go at \$7.50, \$6.00, \$4.50, \$3.75, \$3, \$2.25 and \$1.88. Hundreds of Boys' Vestee Suits that were \$6.00, \$5.00, \$4.00; \$3.50, \$2.50, \$2.00, now go at \$4.50, \$3.75, \$3.00, \$2.63, \$1.88 and \$1.50.

About 75 Boys' Reefer Suits, were \$4.00, 5.00 and \$6.00, choice \$2.50. Only in ages 3, 4 and 5 years.

Don't delay-your opportunity is now. See what we have to offer you. Don't buy unless you think them a bargain, and if you buy and think you've made a mistake, bring it back. The money is here to purchase it back at the price paid.

THE HUB,

STRICTLY ONE PRICE.

MARKET AND FOURTEENTH STREETS. BAER'S CLOTHING HOUSE.

One Tells Another

AND WE WITNESS EVERY DAY THE POWER OF THAT INFLUENCE....

\$10 and \$12 Suits \$7.50 \$14 and \$15 Suits \$9.00 These magic figures seem to have hypnotized the clothes buyers hereabouts. Those great piles of fine Men's

Suits which we have been selling the past week at \$7.50 and \$9.00 have pitched and tumbled. This sale creates excitement, and no wonder, for when LEE BAER makes a sale of this nature it's no fake, but a bona-fide sale, and the people know this means something different from the everlasting 20 per cent discount sale

Closing out fine Colored Shirts, \$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 galue, at 68c. See our window display.

LEE BAE

The Twelfth Street Clothier.

GEO. R. TAYLOR CO.

1900---SPRING GOODS---1900.

All Wool Knit Jackets and Office We Open To-day Our

White Goods. French Challies. French Flannels.

Anderson's Scotch Ginghams, in enbroidered, fancy and plain effects. Nainsook, Cambric and Swiss Embroid-

Irish Dimities, etc., etc., etc. Continuance Sale

of Suits, Jackets, Skirts, Capes, Prices less than cost of materials. Goods must be sold.

LOCKE SHOE CO.

Foot Protection

is the best kind for you to adhere to at this season of the year if you want good health. Rapidly changing weather breeds colds and pneumonia as surely as warm, dry feet protects you against these diseases. It will cost you very little money, not more than \$2.50, to retain your good health if you will let us furnish the shoes.

LOCKE SHOE CO.